

Application No. 10/798,573
Amendment dated December 19, 2005
Reply to Office Action of November 2, 2005

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REMARKS

In view of the above amendment, applicant believes the pending application is in condition for allowance.

The Office Action has been carefully considered. Applicant notes the indicated allowability of claim 1 subject to the filing of an appropriate Terminal Disclaimer.

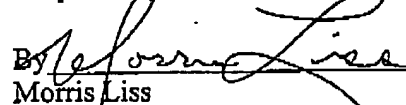
In order to expedite prosecution, the applicant transmits herewith a Terminal Disclaimer to obviate the double patenting rejection over U.S. Patent 6,764,004.

In the event the Examiner believes an interview might serve to advance the prosecution of this application in any way, the undersigned attorney is available at the telephone number noted below.

Applicant believes no fee is due with this response. However, if a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 22-0185, under Order No. 21854-00032-US1 from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

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